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In re Application of: )  
Karl Theodor KRAEMER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1617  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In reply to the Office Action dated March 27, 2006 (Office Action), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, Applicants respectfully request reexamination and reconsideration of the claimed invention in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants enclose a three-month Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fee in order to extend the period for response to September 27, 2006

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.